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Specials

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100 pairs Men's Black Sox, 4 pairs for
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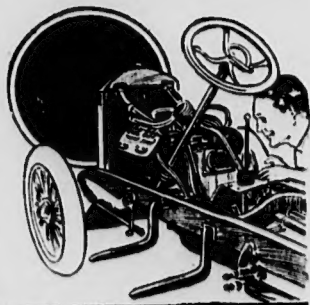
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PHONE 15

Stevens Service Shop, Railway St., Didsbury

The Veteran's Day at Didsbury.

Greatest Local Success for Years

The most optimistic of our citizens responsible for giving a welcome to returned men were far and away out of their reckoning. Success is indeed a small word to use in connection with what Didsbury can do once it has made up its mind to do it. The day was more than a prosperous termination to something attempted. With never a hitch from morning till night there was nothing but one continual round of pleasure each and every one, even the clerk of the weather (who maybe was a little bit too good) done their best to make the day one to be ever remembered by young and old, both citizens and visitors. What the shop windows lacked in decoration was fully made up for in other ways. Red, white and blue was to be seen wherever you looked, and Union Jacks with flags of the allies were to be seen in every direction. About 10.30 the parade started with cars conveying the veterans, their wives and children leading the way. Fun on the line of route was not lacking, there was a car of clowns (Messrs. J. W. Phillipson, Clarence Earl, Stanley Hardy, Wilson Blane, Gus Gertz, and Charley Shannon), this bunch of frivolity created so much fun and laughter that they have been offered a tour with the Pantages but they have decided to stay in Didsbury. About 150 cars were in the procession. Of those who had decorated their cars special mention must be given to the cars of Messrs. Berscht, Chambers, Gertz, Madden and Studer. These cars plainly showed that neither time nor expense had been spared. The sports grounds were reached about 12.30. Then veterans with their wives and children were entertained at dinner, the civilians without a murmur of dissent being content to stand aside until the lads who had worn the khaki, with their kinsfolk had been loaded to the neck with all the good things that could tempt the appetite of the most fastidious or even the dyspeptic. And how those women and girls worked. To the credit of the Didsbury Women's Institute must be given all praise for not only working themselves but also for creating such a spirit of enthusiasm among the womenfolk of Didsbury that it was only by wonderful organization they were prevented from falling over each other in their keen and eager desire to see that there was nothing lacking in the way of attendance. Dish upon dish, salads and pies, chicken, pork, beef and ham, jellies and cake, with lots of cream, tea and coffee, to wash it down. The kiddies saw so many tempting dainties that they puzzled where to start first. The cooking.

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Fifty-four Years of Banking Service

Time has demonstrated the soundness of the policies on which the first Board of Directors founded this Bank fifty-four years ago, and which have continued throughout its existence. Because its daily affairs have constantly been conducted in a sane, conservative and yet progressive manner, the depositor and general banking public alike is amply protected.

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Carstairs Branch
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J. B. Wilson, Manager
T. W. Cuncannon, Manager

Help for the Farmers

Reports regarding crop conditions in Alberta are far from favorable and there appears to be considerable apprehension on the part of farmers as to the attitude which the banks will take. The Royal Bank of Canada, however, has announced that the present crisis requires generous treatment for their farmer customers, and as far as they can consistently do so, no effort will be spared to lend them assistance. This item of news will possibly have some cheering effect on the farmers of this neighborhood, more especially the statement that where possible, extensions of time, presumably until next crop, may be granted, and that every consideration is to be shown to all.

1c



Tenders For The Construction of the Telephone Exchange Building at Bassano, Claresholm and Didsbury, Alberta.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for the Construction of Telephone Exchange Buildings at Bassano, Claresholm and Didsbury, Alberta," will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, August 16th, 1919.

TENDERS submitted may cover one or all buildings, but each building shall be covered by a separate tender and shall be considered as individual contracts.

Plans and Specifications may be had on application to Engineer & Plant Superintendent, Department of Telephones, Parliament Buildings, Edmonton.

Accepted cheque for Five (\$5.00) Dollars shall accompany each request for Plans and Specifications which shall be returned when contract is awarded.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque payable at par, Edmonton, to the Deputy Minister of Railways and Telephones for Five (5%) per cent of the Tender.

Should the contract be awarded the successful bidder shall be requested to execute a guarantee bond on an improved Surety Company equal to Twenty (20%) per cent of the Tender, as a guarantee for the faithful fulfillment of his contract.

The cheques of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned within Six (6) days after the contract is awarded.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to waive any defects.

H. L. HARVEY

Deputy Minister of Railways and Telephones

Dated at Edmonton this 30th day of July, 1919.

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Important Notice to Members of U.F.A. Farmers and Dairymen

On Wednesday, August 13th, in Didsbury, a meeting will be held of the above at 11 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of selecting a delegate to attend and investigate the workings of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers Association. We hope all interested will make a very special effort to attend. Any further particulars may be had from Mr. Dave Irwin, president of Didsbury Local U.F.A.

Lost, Strayed or Estray ads. \$1.50 for three insertions in the Pioneer--they bring results.

BUSINESS LOCALS

1c A WORD IN ADVANCE IN THIS COLUMN

No advertisement taken for less than 35c

DR. MECKLENBURG, eye, ear, nose, throat specialist, graduate, and qualified by four diplomas, will again be at Didsbury on **FRIDAY, AUG. 15**. A good opportunity for having your eyes examined properly. tfc31

EGGS FOR HATCHING—R. C. Rhode Island Reds, White Wyandottes, Barred Rocks, S. C. White Leghorns, Blue Andalusians, \$2. \$3 and \$3.50 per setting. H. J. LAIRD, Red, White and Blue Poultry Yards, Olds, Alta. tfc15

FARM FOR SALE—13 acres of land; well fenced; house (7 rooms and large pantry); good cellar, furnace and cistern; barn 30 x 34; workshop and carriage house 18 x 24; hen house 14 x 24; other small buildings. Apply P. S. Wilson, Didsbury. tfc28

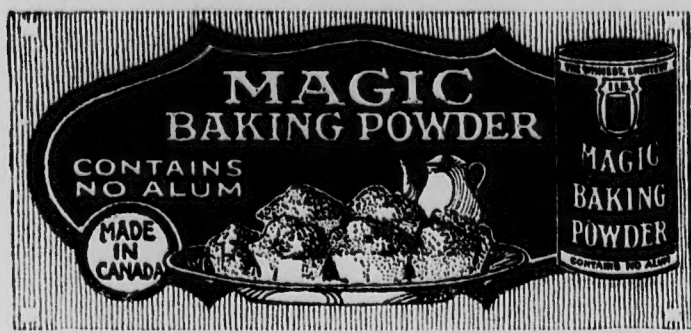
FOR SALE—25 young pigs, 6, 7 and 8 weeks old, also top buggy with pole and shaft. Apply A. LeClaire, Springfield Farm or phone R 1045. tfc30

LOST—Dark brown fur. Will person who picked up same on the road leading to sports ground kindly return same to Pioneer office. Reward. p32

FOR SALE—For cash, Ford runabout. Apply Rev. D. MacGregor, Didsbury. 2tp32

BORN

MONCK—At Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, on July 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Monck, a daughter. 1p



Canada's Time Of Testing

Canadians have joyously and enthusiastically celebrated the signing of the Peace treaty. Canada's unprecedented army of some hundreds of thousands of men is all but completely demobilized, and the vast majority of the soldiers are again at work in civilian occupations. One by one, all the war time orders-in-council, regulations and prohibitions are passing away, and the Dominion is again rapidly being placed on a Peace basis. The acuteness of the sorrows caused by the war is being assuaged by that greatest of all healers, time, and the feelings of racial bitterness and even hatred which are aroused by war are fading.

The titanic struggle is already a matter of history, but while memory lasts people will remember the horrors and stress of the past five terrible years, and all future generations will be more or less affected by the experience through which mankind was called upon to pass. But while remembering these things, it is well that as a people we should keep even more vividly in our memories the recollection of the heights of loyal devotion to country to which people attained, the self-sacrifices they so freely and gladly made, the patriotic services they so splendidly rendered. During the war the people of Canada rose to undreamed of heights of greatness and achieved a national splendor of which any people might well be proud. In a word, Canada found its soul—something which in the more materialistic days of old this country seemed to lack.

In the past five trying years Canadians achieved confidence in themselves; they learned to do by doing. They discovered latent native ability and organizing capacity to do big things and do them well. In the stress and tumult of war they learned many lessons, not least of which was the discovery that for well-nigh fifty years the Canadian people had busied themselves, and quarrelled, and divided, over many petty matters and ideas and animosities of a long dead past. Canadians called their Dominion a nation, but it was not, and never could be while its people lacked national vision, a national outlook and truly national aspirations. The country was without a real inspiration. The war has supplied what Canada formerly lacked, and, lacking it, was weak and almost impotent in the world.

Are the Canadian people, who proved themselves so big and masterful in war, going to remain so in peace? Is this Dominion which has risen to a proud place among the nations going to retain that place, and in the military language of the day consolidate its position? Or are we going to slip back into the old narrow-mindedness which was the greatest handicap in the past?

During the war Canadians were

patriots. Every man and woman was ready and proud to render national service. Criticism was stifled, even though it might be fully justified. The chronic fault-finder found himself decidedly unpopular. Our people pulled together for the common good and the triumph of the common cause, instead of pulling against one another. The danger is that in the relaxation from war effort, and in the pleasant and less crucial days of peace, we fall back into old habits. Is it too much to hope and expect that the newer and better patriotism born of war will remain with us to flourish and develop throughout the glad days of peace?

Canadian patriotism stood the test of war, but the real test of the patriotism of the people of this Dominion will come in the years of peace upon which we have now entered. It will be a sterner test, lacking, as it will, the incentive of a great struggle to win, a glorious victory to achieve. It will call for infinite patience and hard work. Yet, after all, the prize to be won is something finer, better, more lasting than the prize of victorious war.

The winning of the war, to which the people of Canada were willing to bend all their energies, and in the accomplishment of which no sacrifice was too great and no service too arduous, guaranteed to us and our children their independence and liberties and the blessings of Christian civilization.

But the possession of these priceless things will be of little value to us unless we use them as we ought. Rather will their possession prove our own condemnation if we do not worthily employ them to make Canada truly great and a benefactor among the nations. We enjoy independence to develop our country for weal or for woe, to create and firmly establish a nation renowned for reform and advancement, for the elimination of social ills, for the splendor of its education; we enjoy the widest liberty to do good, not license to do evil.

With the dawning of this new era of peace, Canadians should practice self-control and continued self-denial. They should find the same gratification in rendering service to the nation now as in the days of war. They should be patient and earnest in instituting reforms, but impatient with all wrongs. In a word, Canada needs, and needs badly, the war spirit of the country and its people carried into all the activities of the years of peace.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

"What is the connecting link between the animal and vegetable kingdoms?" asked the teacher.

"Hash!" yelled the class with one voice.

An artificial kiss is the kind one woman inflicts on another.

Number Of Strikes Now Decreasing

A marked drain in industrial strife is the feature of the labor situation at present, the number of large strikes under way being few as compared with a few weeks ago. In a number of cases where steps were being taken to name boards of conciliation, there are good prospects of settlements being arrived at by negotiations.

THE CAUSE OF BACKACHE

Only in Rare Cases Does Backache Mean Kidney Trouble

Every muscle in the body needs constantly a supply of rich, red blood in proportion to the work it does. The muscles of the back are under a heavy strain and have but little rest. When the blood is thin they lack nourishment, and the result is a sensation of pain in those muscles. Some people think pain in the back means kidney trouble, but the best medical authorities agree that backache seldom or never has anything to do with the kidneys. Organic kidney disease may have progressed to a critical point without developing a pain in the back. This being the case, pain in the back should always lead the sufferer to look to the condition of his blood. It will be found in most cases that the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood will stop the sensation of pain in the ill-nourished muscles of the back. How much better it is to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the blood than to give way to unreasonable alarm about your kidneys. If you suspect your kidneys, any doctor can make tests in ten minutes that will set your fears at rest, or tell you the worst. But in any event to be perfectly healthy you must keep the blood in good condition, and for this purpose no other medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Even the man who never fails to keep his appointments is apt to fall down when it comes to answering friendship letters.

A Mild Pill for Delicate Women.

The most delicate woman can undergo a course of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills without fear of unpleasant consequences. Their action, while wholly effective, is mild and agreeable. No violent pains or purgings follow their use, as thousands of women who have used them can testify. They are, therefore, strongly recommended to women, who are more prone to disorders of the digestive organs than men.

"The man who gives in when he is wrong," said the street orator, "is a wise man; but he who gives in when he is right is—"

"Married!" said a meek voice in the crowd.

bled to Death

Tried to trim a wart with a razor and severed an artery. The only wart cure is "Putnam's," which removes warts, corns, callouses in one day. Insist on getting Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor, it's the best, 25c at all dealers.

French Bill Would Help Shopkeeping

Whose Businesses Have Been Destroyed By Reason of War

Paris, France.—Mr. Etienne Clementel, minister of commerce, has introduced in the Chamber of Deputies a bill providing for the opening of credit for 100,000,000 francs in favor of the small shopkeepers, manufacturers and workmen whose businesses have been destroyed, or who have been placed out of work by reason of war.

Mr. Clementel, in introducing the bill, said that artisans and small shopkeepers were in a more difficult position than any other demobilized class. The means of livelihood has disappeared as well as custom. The chamber had already voted 12,000,000 francs toward a people's bank. A great effort was being made by the chambers of commerce prefects to meet the need of the personnel, and already seven people's banks were established and 38 were being organized.

The bill provided that each cover 12 years if necessary, and amount to 25,000 francs. It was adopted by the chamber.

Opportunities In The Sheep Business

Western Canada Offers Ideal Conditions for Sheep Raisers

There never was a better chance for the development of the sheep industry than there is in Western Canada today. Mutton and wool are both in great demand and will continue so while the livestock shortage in Europe prevails. This shortage is not likely to be relieved for many years. In the meantime the farmer with a few sheep will be able to make good profits, which, if he is a beginner, will go a long way towards helping him to get firmly established. Farmers who have followed sheep-raising in many lands before settling in Western Canada claim they know of no country where sheep thrive so well as here.

Do not allow worms to sap the vitality of your children. If not attended to, worms may work irreparable harm to the constitution of the infant. The little sufferers cannot voice their ailment, but there are many signs by which mothers are made aware that a dose of Miller's Worm Powder is necessary. These powders act quickly and will expel worms from the system without any inconvenience to the child.

Pigeon Races

Winging through the air at an average speed of nearly 45 miles an hour, sixty racing pigeons flew from Scott, Saskatchewan, to Edmonton, a distance of 225 miles, recently. The race was one of the weekly series put on by members of the Edmonton Homing Association. Out of the 60 birds released at Scott at nine in the morning, seven had reached Edmonton, within a few minutes of each other, about half-past two o'clock in the afternoon. The first pigeon to reach its home loft was one owned by William Ruff.

The ease with which corns and warts can be removed by Holloway's Corn Cure is the strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

A fervent, but unlettered preacher among the mountain whites of the Carolinas was exhorting his flock to come forward and take advantage of the "means of grace." "It air pride that's keeping you settin' in yore seats," he cried, "come to the altar and get down on your henders, and if they air too stiff with pride, ile 'em, ile 'em, as it says in the Scriptur', with the ile of Patmos."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

General Smuts Talks On European Troubles

Strongly Urges Leaving Russia to Settle Her Own Affairs

London.—Lieut.-Gen. Smuts, of the Union of South Africa, and member of the British Peace delegation, in a farewell message, advocates appeasement and reconciliation with Germany and encouragement of the "present moderate Republican administration in Germany, which is successfully fighting the European battle against anarchy."

General Smuts strongly urges leaving Russia to settle her own affairs, on the ground "that a sobered soviet system may be better than barbarism, to which the present policy seems inevitably to be tending," and declares that British statesmen should apply the same medicine to Ireland that they applied to Bohemia.

There is no telling what a day may bring forth. A man may be happy today and married tomorrow.

Don't Hawk, Blow, Sneeze, or Cough Use "Catarrhazone"

When germs attack the lining of the nose, make you sneeze and gag—when later on they infect the bronchial tubes—how can you follow them with a cough syrup?

You can't do it—that's all. Cough syrups go to the stomach—that's why they fail.

But Catarrhazone goes everywhere—gets right after the germs—kills them—heals the soreness—cures the inflammation—makes Catarrh disappear. Not difficult for Catarrhazone to cure, because it contains the essences of pine balsams and other antiseptics that simply mean death to catarrh. Large size costs \$1.00 and contains two months' treatment; smaller sizes 25c and 50c, all druggists and storekeepers.



At night smear redness and roughness with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing a few moments.

Treatment for dandruff and irritation: On retiring rub Cuticura Ointment into partings all over scalp. The next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Repeat in two weeks if needed.

Cuticura Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c. Talcum 25c, plus Canadian duties. Sold everywhere. For sample each free address: "Cuticura, Dept. 8, Boston, U. S. A."

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British Farmers' Gift To France

Have Sent Consignment of Livestock to Peasants

British farmers have just sent through the medium of the agricultural relief committee an important consignment of livestock to peasants returning to their farms in France in the neighborhood of the battle zone. The gift comprises 37 pedigreed dairy Shorthorn bulls, 266 heifers and 1,000 head of poultry, which are to be distributed in the department of the Somme. Further consignments of cattle are about to be made to France, and later on it is intended to send sheep and pigs of suitable English breeds.

A "man-size" food—builder of brain and brawn. Mighty good also for women and children.

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Notice to Farmers!

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Highest Market Prices Paid
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Coyote hound estray on my premises,
S. W. Qr. Sec. 9-31-27, 16 miles east of
Didsbury. Owner claim same and pay
expenses incurred in keep and advertising.
W. M. McCulloch, phone R 512,
Didsbury. 3tc32

Public Notice

By the Board of Trustees of the
Didsbury S. D. No. 652 of
the Province of Alberta

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient by
the Board of Trustees of the Didsbury
S. D. No. 652 of the Province of Alberta,
that the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars
should be borrowed on the security
of the said District by the issue of De-
bentures repayable to the bearer in Thirty
equal consecutive annual instalments
with interest at the rate of not more than
eight per centum per annum for the fol-
lowing purposes, namely:

Building a four-roomed Brick Veneered
High School and the equipments therefor
such as seats, blackboards, etc.

THEREFORE notice is hereby given
by the Board of the said District that un-
less a poll of the ratepayers of the said
District for and against the said debenture
loan is demanded as provided by
The School Ordinance, the said Board
will apply to the Board of Public Utility
Commissioners for authority to borrow
the said sum by debentures.

Of which all persons interested are
hereby notified, and they are required
to govern themselves accordingly.

J. V. BERSCHT,
Chairman

Dated at Didsbury, Alta., this 21st day
of July, 1919.

Instructions to Ratepayers

In rural districts a poll on a debenture
loan may be demanded by any four rate-
payers if the loan exceeds \$1,200.00 or if
the loan is not for the purpose of build-
ing a first school house.

In town and village districts a poll may
be demanded on any debenture loan by
twenty and ten ratepayers respectively.

Every demand for a poll should be de-
livered to the Secretary of the District or
in his absence to the chairman of the
board within fifteen days from the date
of posting these notices. A certified copy
of the demand should be forthwith for-
warded to the Board of Public Utility
Commissioners of Alberta at Edmonton.

Certified a true copy

J. M. REED,
Secretary.

STRAYED

A red and white 4 year old cow, watted
on left jaw and left ear clipped; branded
CG—OF, all left side and hip; indis-
tinct brand on right hip. On N.E. 9-31-1
5, John Bogner. W. F. Sick, brand
reader. 22

STRAYED—\$5.00 REWARD

\$5.00 reward for the re-
covery of a black or brown
mare or gelding, three years
old past, branded as cut on
right hip. Ranged last spring
in the vicinity of Honey
Bricker's, southwest of Dids-
bury. WM. H. DAVIES,
S. E. Qr. Sec. 4-32-4, W. 5, Didsbury.
16td



STRAYED

Reward will be paid for information
leading to recovery of 3 small black
mares and one bay yearling filly, weight
about 850 lbs., branded VB right thigh.
H. Barnard, owner, Elkton. 3tp29

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT

Gray mare, flea bitten, weight about
1000 lbs., not well broke, was poor when
first seen about 3 months ago, had rope
around body; wire in left ear; branded
A on left thigh, WF on right thigh;
E 2 blurred right thigh, age about 8 yrs.
old, was impounded in the pound kept
by the undersigned at Didsbury on the
1st day of July, 1919. W. F. Sick,
Pound Keeper. 3tc27

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1919.

Bolshevism

The Lesson For Canada

Bolshevism accords to the fam-
ily no such sacred place in
society as modern civilization
accords to it. Conflicting reports
have been passing current dur-
ing the last few months relative
to the nationalization of women
by the new Russian Government.
Two or three local Soviets have
apparently thus degraded the
womanhood of their particular
districts, but the central Govern-
ment has refrained from adopting
any such policy in the whole
nation. They have, however,
promulgated decree relating to
marriage and divorce which
establishes a state of free love.
Their effect has been to furnish
a vehicle for the legalization of
prostitution by permitting the an-
nulment of the marriage bonds at
the whim of the parties, recogniz-
ing their collusive purposes as a
ground for the severance of the
matrimonial state. The appar-
ent purpose of the Bolshevik
Government is to make the Rus-
sian citizen, and especially the
women and children, the wards
and dependents of that Govern-
ment. Not satisfied with the deg-
ree of dependency incurred by
the economic and industrial con-
trol assumed by the functionaries,
it has destroyed the moral obli-
gation of the father to provide,
care for and adequately protect
the child of his blood and the
mother of that child against the
misfortunes of orphanhood and
widowhood.

—Report of the United States
Senate Committee on German
Propaganda and Bolshevism

The True Meaning of Bol- shevism

The salient features which con-
stitute the Programme of Bol-
shevism as it exists today in
Russia are summarized as follows
by the Overman Committee of the
United States Senate which has
just issued its report on German
propaganda and Bolshevism:—

The repudiation of democracy
and the establishment of a dic-
tatorship.

The confiscation of all land and
the improvements thereon.

The confiscation of all forests
and natural resources.

The confiscation of all live
stock and all agricultural imple-
ments.

The confiscation of all banks
and banking institutions and the
establishment of a State monop-
oly of the banking business.

The confiscation of all factor-
ies, mills, mines and industrial
institutions and the delivery of
the control and operation thereof
to the employees therein.

The confiscation of all churches
and all church property, real and
personal.

The confiscation of all newspa-
pers and periodicals and all
mechanical facilities and machin-
ery used in the publication thereof.

The seizure and confiscation of
all public meeting places and
assembly halls.

The confiscation of all trans-
portation and communication sys-
tems.

The confiscation of the entire
estate of all decedents.

The monopolizing by the State
of all advertisements of every
nature, whether newspapers, per-

iodicals, handbills or programs.

The repudiation of all debts ag-
ainst the Government, and all
obligations due the non-Bolshe-
vist elements of the population.

The establishment of universal
compulsory military service re-
gardless of religious scruples and
conscientious objections.

The inauguration of a reign of
fear, terrorism and violence.

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mittee of the Alberta Industrial
Congress held recently it was shown
that there is certainty of a good
attendance at the congress from
Eastern Canadian and American
points. The committee completed
plans for the big industrial gather-
ing and appointed small committees
to look after the several branches of
the congress work for the week of
gathering.

The itinerary for the special train
was fixed. It will leave Medicine
Hat at 8 o'clock on the morning of
August 12th, will leave Lethbridge
at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the
same day, will arrive at Calgary at
9 o'clock that evening. After the
Calgary congress, the sessions of
which are to take place at the Grand
Theater, the train will depart for
Edmonton early on the morning of
August 15th. It will leave the
capital city for Banff on the night
of the 16th, arriving at the moun-
tain resort at about 9 o'clock on the
morning of Sunday, August 17th.

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THE COW PUNCHER

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(Continued.)

"Well, I'm not wet, except for a little splashing," she said, "and you are. Does anything occur to you?" Without reply he walked stolidly into the cold water, took her in his arms and carried her ashore. The lariat was soon repaired and the car hauled to the ranch buildings without further mishap.

Later in the day he said to her, "Can you ride?"

"Some," she answered. "I have ridden city horses, but don't know about these ranch animals. You know, a city horse has to do as he is told, but a ranch horse seems to do pretty much as he likes. But I would like to try—if I had a saddle."

"I have an extra saddle," he said. "But it's a man's. . . . They all ride that way here."

She made no answer, and the subject was dropped for the time. But the next morning she saw Dave ride away, leading a horse by his side. He did not return until evening, but when he came the idle horse carried a saddle.

"It's a strad-legger," he said when he drew up beside Irene, "but it's a girl's. I couldn't find anything else in the whole diggin'."

"I'm sure it will do—splendidly—if I can just stick on," she replied. But another problem was already in her mind. It apparently had not occurred to Dave that women require special clothing for riding, especially if it's a "strad-legger." She opened her lips to mention this, then closed them again. He had been to enough trouble on her account. He had already spent a whole day scouring the country for a saddle. . . . She would manage some way.

Late that night she was busy with scissors and needle.

CHAPTER THREE

Dr. Hardy recovered from his injuries as rapidly as could be expected, and, while he chafed somewhat over spending his holidays under such circumstances, the time passed not unhappily. Had he sought the world over for a haven from the intrusion of business or professional cares he could have found it nowhere in greater perfection than in the foothill country centering about the Elden ranch. Here was an Arcadia where one might well return to the simple life; a little bay of still water sheltered from the onrushing tide of

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affairs by the warm brown prairies and the white-bosomed mountains towering through their draperies of blue-purple mist. It was life as far removed from his accustomed circles as if he had been suddenly spirited to a different planet. It was life without the contact of life, without the crowd and jostle and haste and gaiety and despair that are called life; but the doctor wondered if, after all, it did not come nearer to filling the measure of experience—which is life.

A considerable acquaintanceship had sprung up between him and the senior Elden. The rancher had come from the east fort, years before, but in turning over their memories the two men found many links of association; third persons known to them both; places, even streets and houses common to their feet in early manhood; events of local history which each could recall, although from different angles. And Elden's life in the west had been a treasury of experience, in which he now dipped for the first time in years, regaling his guest with tales of the open range long before barbed wire had stuck its poisoned fang into the heart of the ranchman; tales of horse stealing and cattle rustling, with glimpses of sudden justice unrecorded in the official documents of the territory; of whiskey-running and excess and all those large adventures that drink the red blood of the wilderness. In his grizzled head and stooping frame he carried more experiences than would fill a dozen well-rounded city lives, and he had the story-teller's art which seems to spoil dramatic effect by a too strict adherence to fact. But over one phase of his life he kept the curtain resolutely down. No ray of conversation would he admit into the more personal affairs of his heart, or of the woman who had been his wife, and even when the talk turned on the boy he quickly withdrew it to another topic, as though the subject were dangerous or distasteful. But once, after a long silence following such a diversion, had he betrayed himself into a whispered remark, an outburst of feeling rather than a communication. "I've been alone so much," he said. "It seems I have never been anything but alone. And—sooner or later—it gets you—it gets you."

"You have the boy," ventured the doctor.

"No," he answered, almost fiercely. "That would be different. I could stand it then. But I haven't got him, and I can't get him. He despises me because—because I take too much at times." He paused as though wondering whether to proceed with this unwelcome confidence, but the ache in his heart insisted on its right to human sympathy. "No, it ain't that," he continued. "He despises me because he thinks I wasn't fair to his mother. He can't understand. He doesn't know yet that there's things—pulls and tugs of life, that lead a man as helpless as a steer chokin' in his lasso. I was like that. I wanted to be good to her, to be close to her. Then I took to booze, as natural as a steer under the brandin' iron roars to drown his hurt. But the boy don't understand." The old man got up and stood at the western window, watching the gold of approaching sunset gather on the mountains. "He despises me." Then, after a long silence, "No matter. I despise myself."

The doctor approached and placed a hand on his shoulder. But Elden was himself again. The curtains of his life, which he had drawn apart for a moment, he whipped together again rudely, almost viciously, and covered his confusion by plunging into a tale of how he had led a breed suspected of cattle rustling on a little canter of ten miles with a rope about his neck and the other end tied to the saddle. "He ran well," said the old man, chuckling still at the reminiscence. "And it was lucky he did. It was a strong rope."

The morning after Dave had brought in the borrowed saddle Irene appeared in a sort of bloomer suit, somewhat wonderfully contrived from the spare skirt to which allusion has been made, and announced a willingness to risk life and limb on any horse that Dave might select for that purpose. He provided her with a dependable mount, and their first journey, taken somewhat gingerly along the principal trail, was accomplished without incident. It was the forerunner of many others, plunging deeper and deeper into the fastnesses of the foothills, and even into the

passes of the very mountains themselves. These long rides through the almost untracked wilderness, frequently along paths on which the element of danger was by no means a mere fancy, and into regions where the girl's sense of distance and direction were totally confused, afforded her many sidelights on the remarkable nature of her escort. His patience was infinite, and although there were no silk trappings to his courtesy, it was a very genuine and manly deference he paid her. She was quite sure that he would at any moment give his life if it needed to defend her from injury—and accept the transaction as a matter of course. His physical endurance was inexhaustible, and his knowledge of prairie and foothill seemed to her almost uncanny. When she had been utterly lost for hours he would suddenly swing their horses' heads about and guide them home with the accuracy of the wild goose on its flights to the nesting grounds. He read every sign of footprint, leaf, water and sky with unerring insight. He had no knowledge of books, and she had at first thought him ignorant, but as the days went by she had found in him a mine of wisdom which shamed her ready-made education.

After such a ride they one day dismounted in a grassy opening among the trees that bordered a mountain canyon. The waters of ages had chiselled a sharp passage through the rock, and the green stream now swirled in its rapid course a hundred feet below. Fragments of rock, loosened by the sun and wind and frost of centuries, had fallen from time to time, leaving sheltered nooks and shelves in the walls of the canyon. In one of these crevices they found a flat stone that gave comfortable seating, and here they rested while the horses browsed their afternoon meal on the grass above. Little irregular bits of stone had broken off the parent rock, and for a while they amused themselves with tossing these into the water. But both were conscious of a gradually increasing tension in the atmosphere. For days the boy had been moody. It was evident he was harboring something that was eating through his nature for expression, and Irene knew that this afternoon he would talk of more than trees and rocks and footprints of the wild things of the forest.

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You are further warned that cutting at a corn is a suicidal habit.

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"Your father is gettin' along well," he said at length.

"Yes," she answered. "He has had a good holiday, even with his broken leg. He is looking ever so much better."

"You will be goin' away before long," he continued.

"Yes," she answered, soberly, and waited.

"Things about here ain't goin' to be

the same after you're gone," he went on. He was avoiding her eyes and industriously throwing bits of crumbled rock into the canyon. He wore no coat, and the neck of his shirt was open, for the day was warm. Had he caught her side-long glances even his slow, self-deprecating mind must have read their admiration. But he kept his eyes fixed on the green water.

"You see," he said, "before you came it was different. I didn't know what I was missin', an' so it didn't matter. Not but what I was dog-sick of it at times, but still I thought I was livin'—thought this was life, and, of course, now I know it ain't. At least, it won't be after you're gone."

"That's strange," she said, not in direct answer to his remark, but as a soliloquy on it as she turned it over in her mind. "This life, now, seems empty to you. All my old life seems empty to me. This seems to me the real life, out here in the foothills, with the trees, and the mountains, and—our horses, you know."

(To Be Continued.)

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Building Activity Maintained

Building permits to the value of nearly a million and a half dollars have been issued in Calgary this year as compared with somewhat over eight hundred thousand dollars worth in the corresponding period of last year. The value of the permits issued last month amounted to \$380,000. Other cities throughout Western Canada report similar activity. This is a good start, but it is evident that the great work of reconstruction is not yet under way. There are signs, however, of still greater activity at no very distant future.

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Has Ruined Both Rich and Poor

If communism in Hungary has succeeded in putting the working classes on top and the moneyed and intellectual classes underneath, it might not be without its appeal. But it has done none of those things. It has ruined the rich, of course, but it has ruined the poor along with them. The man who was poor finds himself poorer and with no hope of bettering himself.

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"Khaki College" Doing Valuable Work

System Adopted Is that of Free
Tutorial Classes

Winnipeg, Man.—The "Khaki College" in connection with the University of Manitoba is doing valuable reconstruction work. At present there are 113 returned men taking the courses who would, in all probability, have thought it hopeless to go on with their education if it had been necessary to go back to high school or to resume at the university without this opportunity to gain time. The system adopted in the Khaki College is that of free tutorial classes.

Instead of drifting into occupations for the moment more lucrative, these returned men who left their studies to shoulder a rifle are being induced to resume their interrupted studies at a critical period in their lives, and are thus saved to the professions, preventing an incalculable loss to the province. Students can enter at any time, and are allowed to proceed to the next higher grade without the formality of an examination whenever the instructors deem them to be ready for promotion. The purpose of these tutorial courses is primarily to prepare the boys to re-enter the university regular classes next September, but it is thought that the Khaki College will carry on all winter.

It is a significant fact that the courses leading to a definite profession are better patronized than those leading to an arts degree. The courses leading toward engineering and law are most popular. One student is preparing himself for the diplomatic service.

Berlin People Urged To Show Restraint

And Not Allow Themselves to Be
Incensed By Foreign
Soldiers

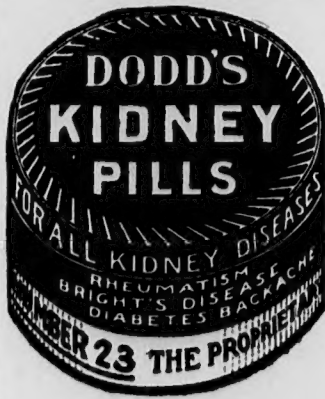
London, Eng.—A German wireless message states that a reward of 10,000 marks has been offered for information leading to the arrest of the individual who killed a French soldier in Friedrichstrasse, and Berlin papers call upon the people to exercise restraint and not allow themselves to be incensed by provocative acts of foreign soldiers.

At the same time French soldiers are advised not to walk in Friedrichstrasse at night. The papers further state that no trouble has been caused by American and English soldiers, who show more restraint than the French.

A speech made at a banquet is called a toast because of the dryness thereof.

CHILDREN NEED HELP

Spanking doesn't cure bed-wetting—the trouble is due to weakness of the internal organs. My successful home treatment will be found helpful. Send no money, but write me today. My treatment is equally successful for all, troubled with urinary difficulties. MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 42 Windsor, Ont.



Civilian Disturbances All Over England

London.—Civilian disturbances in different parts of the country have been as destructive as anything committed by the military. At Swindon gangs of youths and discharged imperial soldiers looted twenty business premises and burned the flagstaff outside the municipal buildings. At Luton, where the town hall was burned, further disturbances were quelled by police charges. Men and four women were arrested, and further arrests are imminent. At Coventry many shops were attacked; 40 persons were injured, some dangerously, and police assistance was sought from Birmingham. At Bilston the mobs tore down a wall and used the bricks as missiles against the police. Additional police were summoned from neighboring towns.

Honorary Degree Recipients

Given to Leaders in War By Cambridge University

Cambridge, England.—General Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Canadian forces, was among those who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Cambridge University. The ceremony took place in the senate house, which was crowded mostly with undergraduates dressed in military and naval uniforms for the occasion. The vice-chancellor of the university, Dr. Arthur E. Shipley, of Christ College, presided.

Among the various recipients of the degree were Admirals Sturdee and Wemyss, and Generals Rawlinson, Birdwood, Wilson, Herne, Monass, the Earl of Cavan and Gen. Pershing.

The vice-chancellor then entertained the party at luncheon in Christ College hall, to which they walked through the rain, the students following and cheering. Gen. Birdwood was carried shoulder high by the youths.

Resume Trade With Germany

Traders of World Rush in With First Raising of the Allied Blockade

Berlin.—The first results of the raising of the blockade, says the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, is the flooding of Cologne with foreign goods.

"French firms," the newspaper adds, "are offering hundreds of thousands of kilograms of cocoa powder, chocolate, coffee, ox fat, pork fat, macaroni and toilet soaps. German imports companies have been offered large quantities of corn starch and cocoa, hundreds of carloads of white beans and Chinese yellow peas, and raw coffee and chocolate in huge quantities.

"The American offers include bacon, olive oil, rubber coats, steam turbines, automobile machinery, various oils and vaseline.

"An Anglo-Japanese firm offers the direct importation of borax, paraffin, resin, flax oil, shellac and soap."

Paris Honored Victim

Paris.—Paris honored the memory of Sgt. Paul Mannheim, of the French army, who was murdered in Berlin on July 13. The burial of Sgt. Mannheim took place at the Pere Lachaise cemetery. Great crowds followed the funeral procession, in which President Poincare and Premier Clemenceau were represented.

Our State-Owned Ships

Ottawa.—By the end of this year the government will have twenty ships with a total net tonnage of 110,000 tons operating in the North Atlantic and West Indian trade. The voyages made by the seven steamers already in commission have been very profitable.

Cutting Wheat Near Brandon

Brandon.—Robert Roddick, farmer, of Brandon Hills, is cutting wheat. He commenced on a field that was sown on April 15. It is said to be the finest crop since 1914. It is 30 years since wheat was cut in this particular district during July. Wheat fields in the Assiniboine River Valley are ripening fast.

Awaiting Proclamation Of Peace At Ottawa

Ottawa in Throes of Doubt as to When War Measures Act Expires

Ottawa.—Parliament will be in session again before the War Measures Act expires, and with it the race track betting, prohibition and other war-time orders-in-council passed under its provisions. Such is the understanding here, and was the understanding when parliament prorogued a fortnight ago. At that time the final complete text of the peace treaty with Germany had not been received in Ottawa, and therefore could not be submitted to parliament for ratification. Drafts as prepared had been received and changes made are cabled from Paris. It was not till the arrival in Ottawa of Hon. C. J. Doherty, who with Hon. A. L. Sifton signed the treaty for Canada, that the text as signed at Versailles was available. The understanding with the British government when Sir Robert Borden left London was that there would be no proclamation of peace by Britain for some time, and at any rate not till the Canadian parliament had full opportunity to ratify.

Since then, however, greater necessity has apparently arisen in Great Britain for an early proclamation that a state of war no longer exists. It is understood that the government here is in communication with the imperial authorities on the subject and that stress is being laid on the necessity for full opportunity being given to the Dominion parliament for discussion of the treaty's terms before formal proclamation of peace by the King. Notice has already been given of a special session in the fall for ratification.

While the question has not been discussed in cabinet as yet, it is probable that the date of opening will be advanced a week or two to avoid any unnecessary delay. But that peace will be officially proclaimed before the Dominion parliament can be summoned is regarded here as extremely unlikely.

The point raised by Sir A. B. Aylesworth that the war time orders-in-council, notwithstanding their own provisions, will not be operative after expiry of the War Measures Act is generally conceded. A similar opinion was given by a committee of legal experts in Great Britain with regard to orders-in-council passed under the Defence of the Realm Act.

It is pointed out that under the treaty with Germany peace cannot be proclaimed until after ratification by Germany and by three of the principal allied and associated powers. The principal allied and associated powers are defined in the treaty as U.S., British Empire, France, Italy and Japan. Ratification of the treaty with Germany alone is not regarded as being sufficient to end the war and the War Measures Act. There will be also need to be ratification of peace with Austria. Peace with Germany would be merely a partial peace. But whether ratifications of the peace with Bulgaria and Turkey first would be necessary in so far as the termination of the War Measures Act is concerned is regarded as somewhat doubtful. There is little likelihood, in actual practice, of much difference in time between the proclamation of peace in Great Britain and its proclamation in Canada by the governor-general.

Germans Must Surrender Livestock

Paris.—Germany will have to surrender to France 500 stallions, 3,000 fillies, 90,000 milk cows, 100,000 sheep and 10,000 goats, according to a report made to the French peace commission sitting under the presidency of Rene Viviani, by M. Dubois, economic expert for the commission, in commenting on the peace treaty clauses.

Two hundred stallions, 5,000 mares, 5,000 fillies, 50,000 cows and 4,000 heifers were also to go to Belgium from Germany. The deliveries are to be made monthly during a period of three months until completed.

Strikers On Trial At Winnipeg

Winnipeg Strike Leaders Laugh at Evidence Tendered on Conspiracy

Winnipeg.—A secret service whose ramifications extended even into the carefully-guarded precincts of the labor temple was named as the source of evidence of an actual revolution by Sergt. A. E. Reames, chief of the Manitoba Royal Northwest Mounted Police secret service, at the preliminary trial of eight labor leaders charged with seditious conspiracy.

The accused, R. B. Russell, W. M. Ivens, W. A. Pritchard, R. J. Johns, Aldermen A. A. Heaps and John Queen, George Armstrong and R. E. Bray, maintained the attitude they adopted at the first sessions; they laughed outright at some of the evidence and continually passed laughing whispers.

"Reports I had from reliable agents were to the effect that there was a revolution in the making," Sergt. Reames declared, under cross-examination by E. J. Murray. He reiterated quotations from speeches by Wm. Ivens and Geo. Armstrong which counselled revolution. He said he believed the speeches were contributory causes to the general strike.

"I was not surprised that the strike was peaceful at first," he said. "It would have remained so if the strike committee could have retained control of everything in the city under the labor temple permit system. They wanted peace for a purpose."

Evidence of an independent witness, Joseph T. Hill, who had attended a meeting the day before the first riot, brought out the fact that Wm. Ivens had told a large gathering of ignorant foreigners that their homes were in danger of violation by the special police. Mr. Ivens told a story of a special policeman stealing money from a striker's wife and children under threat of his baton. When the special police had been attacked the next day, the witness had thought it his duty to report Ivens' speech to the police. He said he believed it was contributory to the riots, and was "vicious and that its effect at that time would be particularly bad." He said he had been shocked and horrified at the thought of a man having so little sense that he would make such an inflammatory address to such an audience.

Retirement Checks For Postal Workers

Fund Taken From Their Pay Will Be Returned as Sign of End

Winnipeg.—Retirement cheques which are due the postal workers who lost their positions as a result of the strike will be mailed from Ottawa within the next few days, according to a telegram which J. A. Elrick, general secretary of the Amalgamated Postal Workers, received from the Deputy Postmaster-General at Ottawa. The average amount of the cheques is about \$400.

The message Mr. Elrick received was as follows: "Retirement fund cheques are being issued with all possible expedition, and will mostly be sent this week."

Mr. Elrick explained that the money that was being sent was the late postal workers' own money. It represented the five per cent. which had been deducted from their wages from the time they had joined the service, this retirement fund system having been adopted in place of a pension system.

No Trace of Nipigon Man

Fort William, Ont.—Another day's sun has set and still the second man implicated in the murder of Constable Armstrong at Nipigon is at large. Apparently there has been no sign of him, although the search of Inspector Symons, Sergeant Burleigh and members of the local police forces, Mounted Police, Dominion, provincial and railway police, has been ceaseless in the vigilance for him and are still scouring the woods between Port Arthur and Wild Goose Point.

Return of Premier Borden

Ottawa.—Sir Robert Borden is expected back in Ottawa within the next few days. He is on a cruise in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

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Trading In Titles Is Charge Made

Lenine Wants Peace With Rumania

Makes Concessions for Armistice, But Ties Serious String to Proposals

London.—A Bolshevik delegation has arrived at Kishineff with an offer of peace to the commander of the Rumanian troops on behalf of Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, according to a Berlin government wireless dispatch.

Lenine offers to cede Bessarabia to Rumania on condition that Rumania shall prohibit Ukrainian citizens and bands of Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian government at Omsk, from crossing the Rumanian frontier.

An armistice to last eight days has been concluded on the Bessaragian front, and the delegation has gone to Rumanian headquarters.

Canadians Sentenced In England

End of Trial of Seven in Connection With Death of Epsom Policeman

London.—At the Surrey assizes Bugler Robert Todd and Private E. A. McAllan, of the Canadian Forestry Corps, were found not guilty of manslaughter in connection with the death of Police Sergeant Green at Epsom and discharged. Privates F. H. Wilkie, 102nd Canadian Battalion; J. Connors, 113th Canadian Highlanders; A. McMaster, 3rd Canadian Reserve, and D. Yerex and A. Masse, of the Canadian Forestry Corps, were found guilty and sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment with hard labor.

Victory For Clemenceau

Great Success of Premier Clemenceau When He Won a Vote of Confidence

Paris.—All newspapers, excepting those distinctly hostile to the government, comment upon the great success of Premier Clemenceau when he won a vote of confidence in the chamber of deputies. Some papers make the point that the result shows the vote, in which the government was in the minority, was not aimed at the government, but was intended to obtain a more energetic policy designed to end the high cost of living, which, it was declared, threatened to paralyze the country. The papers express pleasure that Premier Clemenceau had pledged himself to consult the country soon, through the coming elections.

Prince To Visit White House

British Heir-Apparent Invited to Be Guest of United States Government

London.—The Prince of Wales will reach the U.S. next month as the guest of the U.S. government. King George, on behalf of the Prince, has accepted an invitation sent the Prince by President Wilson, to visit the President in Washington.

After his visit to Canada, the Prince will go to Washington for a few days as a guest of the United States government and later will make a brief visit to New York, where he will live on board the British battleship Renown in New York harbor, although still a guest of the government.

King to Unveil Montreal Statue

Montreal.—King George has consented to unveil the memorial here to Sir Etienne Cartier by pressing a button at Balmoral. The Duke of Connaught cabled E. W. Villeneuve, president of the Cartier centenary, of which the former Governor-General was a patron, that His Majesty would unveil the statue by this method on September 6, the anniversary of Cartier's birthday. A wire will be run from Balmoral to connect with the Atlantic and Canadian cable lines, thus forming a direct electrical connection.

London.—The tender spot in British political life today is the dispensation of titles. These are awarded, of course, by the King, but on the nomination of the Prime Minister, and the criticism of reformers is that titles have been given for a long time and by various prime ministers for purely party services, and practically bought by contributions to party funds.

The House of Lords has a peculiar interest in this matter, because the old "noble" families are jealous of having their caste lowered by the addition to the newly rich and purely rich to the orders of nobility.

The question was threshed out last year, and there was a general understanding that hereafter when honors were announced the reason for their bestowal should be published. This has been done in form, but, it is alleged, not in substance, because several much criticized honors in the last list were described as "for public services," which might mean almost anything.

The new national party, which has a few members in the House of Commons, has taken up the question. The chairman, Gen. Page Croft, has written to the newspapers proposing to prove before any judicial committee that since 1910 one member of parliament has rejected an offer of a title in return for a cash payment to party funds, and that the father of a member of the House of Commons was offered a baronetcy for £25,000.

He charged also that a member of parliament who was created a peer after the beginning of the war, subscribed shortly afterward a very large sum of money to a newspaper that supports the Premier.

He mentions also instances in which he says titles were granted to a politician of so notorious a character as to be regarded as unfit to be a candidate for parliament, to another politician regarded as unscrupulous, and to a third man "previously involved in a notorious social scandal."

Germany Would Be Friends With Neighbors

Advances Along Path in Expectation of Revision of Peace Treaty

Weimar.—Dr. Hermann Mueller, minister of foreign affairs, speaking before the national assembly, urged the carrying out of the peace treaty to the utmost, while working also for its revision. He advocated also the friendliest disposition towards Belgium by real sacrifices, thus paving the way for an understanding with the Belgian neighbor nations.

Dr. Mueller favored non-intervention in Russia and an effort to promote friendly relations with Poland and Czechoslovakia, while not forgetting Germany's former allies, Bulgaria and Turkey.

Priests Must Pay

Kingston, Ont.—Judge Lavell has issued an attaching order to twelve Roman Catholic clergymen in the Kingston archdiocese for the "Cathedrarium," the ten per cent. of the revenue of a parish priest which is payable to Archbishop Spratt from the respective parishes of these men. This step is being taken to realize under the judgment obtained by Sister Mary Basil against Archbishop Spratt and Sister Margregie, of the House of Providence, for the sum of \$20,000.

Feed Situation Relief

Calgary.—Hon. Duncan Marshall stated to the Canadian Press that arrangements had been made to ship, free of charge, two carloads of stock for any one man, into the feed areas from any point in southern Alberta. It has also been arranged that free transportation will be provided for seven cars of hay for any one man from any point in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta to the drought areas. Mr. Marshall stated that a good deal of hay and feed had been located in the northern part of Alberta.

Semi-Monthly Crop Report

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

A survey of the crop situation in the province on July 31st concerns the three divisions of the province separately as was followed in previous reports.

PEACE RIVER

Northern Alberta in which the Peace River settlements constitute almost the total crop area continues to make satisfactory progress in crop growth from a favorable condition of warmth and abundant moisture. Hay cutting has commenced on the available hay lands tributary to and included in the settlements with the promise of good yields.

SOUTHERN ALBERTA

At the opposite end of the province it was indicated in the last report that the grain crop was a failure over a considerable portion of the south. The drought has affected the country from Red Deer south but most noticeably from Carstairs south. Within the south there are small areas that have good crops and others that have fair crops. There are good crops in the Beiseker district. There are also good crops on the Goose Lake line at Rockyford and points east including Munson, Drumheller and Delia. At points on the main line of the C. P. R. between Strathmore and Bassano there has been from the early part of the season the promise of fair crops. These were set back by dry windy weather during the month of June but at present are somewhat improved since last report. There will be some crop cut in the Claresholm district. South of this and east conditions are practically unchanged. Some rye is being cut in the Nohelford district which will give a light yield of grain. A little wheat has also been cut. The crop of the greater part of Southern Alberta, however, is an acknowledged failure. A few patches will give seed and some places may reach from four to eight bushels per acre but these are only individual pieces and not districts.

CENTRAL ALBERTA

In Central Alberta there has been a distinct change for better since last report. A general rain which reached beyond Central Alberta to Calgary occurred immediately after the middle of the month and it was the first rain for many weeks that reached down to contact with the moisture in the under-soil. The improvement of the crops since that time has been marked. Grain and grass have both improved along the C. N. R. to the boundary. Oats that were standing still, some of them in head, are stretching noticeably and the late oats which came up well are making still more rapid progress. The wheat which was brought rather forward in dry weather will not improve to the same extent by the coming of the rains as a lot of it was very short and the heads were partially wilted before the rains came. In the past fifteen days it is probably the case that the crop volume has improved ten or fifteen per cent. Potatoes and other roots are expected to be a fair crop. The hills will be lighter by reason of limited moisture in the early part of the season but the plants have kept growing and are showing well at present. There will be some surplus of potatoes in Central Alberta. The tame hay crop will not be appreciably improved by the rains as the timothy was already held back by a slow spring and dry early summer and has been ready to cut for ten days now. Pastures are looking better and stock is doing well.

LIVE STOCK

The situation for live stock has improved. Two weeks ago there was a pinicky movement to unload stock in the open stock yards in Edmonton and Calgary and speculators secured some bargain counter buys from farmers, but this condition did not last for any time. The markets have strengthened considerably during the past ten days. This is partly due to the industrious absorption of surplus female stuff by the farmers of Central and Northern Alberta, to the prospect of satisfactory

liquidation of stock to Manitoba purchasers and to the appearance of rainy weather which it is hoped may extend to the south country still within the summer season. The Provincial Government has made important purchases of female stuff to satisfy the requirements of co-operative associations formed under the Cow Bill which has also assisted the situation in the stock yards.

Another important influence affecting the outlook of the stockmen is the institution of means to relieve the bad conditions caused by drought by the free movement of live stock and haying outfits north and of hay south in the same manner as was done last year by co-operation of the Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture and the Western Freight Association.

The summary of conditions would make little change in the south in either grain crops or grass, a rather marked improvement in Central Alberta and a continued promise of heavy crops in the north, and the live stock situation not worse than it was two weeks ago.

The Past Week at the Opera House

In keeping with the holiday spirit the opera house management put on some of the best screen pictures through the week that have been shown in Didsbury. On Tuesday last "The Red, Red Heart" was shown to a crowded house. On Wednesday, one of the best programmes ever displayed was produced by Serg. Joe Atherton, C.E.F. The feature of the show was a little story written by himself entitled "Shell Shocked." This is shown in a very novel way, instead of the sub-titles being shown on the sheet, Serg. Joe Atherton recites with startling effect the monologue necessary to the story as the pictures are shown on the screen. The acting of the sergeant is realistic throughout and many were the compliments passed on the stirring emotions of the man as he played the role of the "Shell-Shocked" Major. The programme also consisted of the showing of two comedies and "The postponed celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal." This last picture alone was worth the money paid. Also was shown the G.W.V.A. \$2000 bonus film. From the way this was applauded it will not be the fault of Didsbury if the soldiers don't get all they ask for. The programme is an excellent one in every respect and well worth crowded houses in any town. On Friday, as a finish to the Sports Day there was produced "Chase me, Charlie." It would be difficult to say who laughed most at Charlie's funny antics whether it was the young folks or the grown ups. On Saturday the first of the Allan series was shown, "Love Letters." In this play Dorothy Dalton was just magnificent. Next Friday and Saturday we are to have "The Rainbow Trail," the picture we are looking for a sequel to "The Riders of the Purple Sage." Everyone should see this sequel to the Zane Grey's story. See how the man who was not afraid got out of the cave.

BERGEN NEWS

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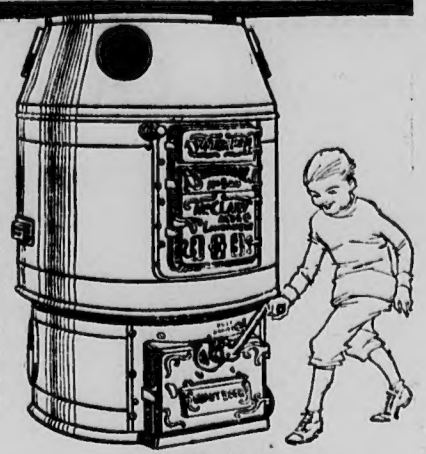
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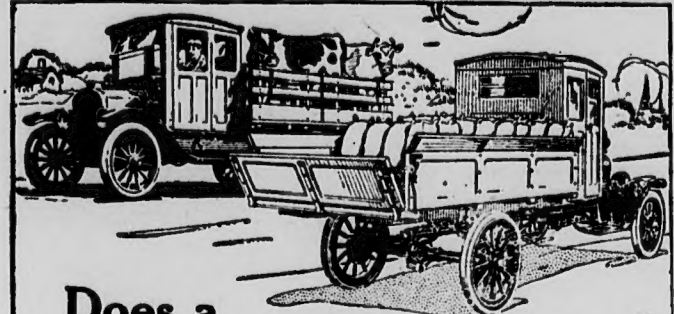
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American forces, and is now living in Minneapolis, is the proud father of a fine baby girl.

Great times were indulged in at Mr. Mose Olson's place last week. Nearly all the folks around the district were gathered together and music and games and singing the old songs passed the happy hours away. The orchestra was not complete until Corp. H. McKnight joined in with his mouth organ. Now they want some more.

Veterans' Day--continued

well—"Just like mother's." The speakers for the day were H. B. Atkins, Esq., M.L.A., who spoke of the work done by the boys "over there" and the women "over here." Pat Worthington, who enlisted with the 187th and afterwards transferred to the flying corps, replied for the veterans in a few but very well-chosen words. Professor Cutter, of Edmonton, then spoke on the "Technical Education of Farmers," special reference being made to the requirements of returned men. Mr. J. B. Worthington replied. The remarks of the speakers were greeted by applause like the sound of bursting shrapnel. There was not a dull moment from start to finish. Races for old and young, fat and thin, married and single, pony races, baseball tournament, football game, high pole jumping, and novelty races. The prizes for the best decorated cars were awarded Mr. Studer (1), Mr. Berscht (2), but these cars were so pretty that it was a matter of difficulty to decide which was best. A special prize was also given to the car of clowns (\$15.00). The baseball tournament resulted in Carstairs winning first prize, Innisfail second, whilst the third prize was divided between Neapolis and Didsbury. Football—Didsbury v. Carstairs, a win for Didsbury. Supper was served at 5 o'clock. A successful dance was held in the evening. Everything throughout was free to returned men and their kinsfolk. Every person in the vicinity worked hard to make the day a success. Constable Sick collected over \$400 and \$383 were taken as gate receipts. The music rendered by the Innisfail band was greatly appreciated. The great crowd of close on 3,000 were jolly, and if plain clothes men were about they also were able to enjoy themselves for there was no undesirable element. The day ended by the returned men going home singing "Good night, ladies," and the townsfolk "Let's have another one." So mote it be.



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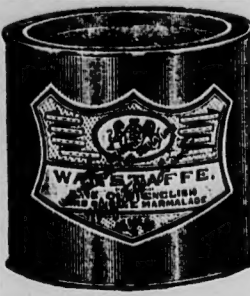
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Army Deserting Bela Kun

Straggling Back From Fronts With Lack of Discipline

Paris.—Dispatches from Budapest indicate that general demoralization has struck Bela Kun's army, which is straggling back from the different fronts with utter lack of discipline.

The breakdown in the spirit of the troops is attributed to discontinuation of the fighting against the Czechs and the Rumanians in consequence of an armistice, and to the hasty increase of the well-drilled loyal army of 60,000 to more than 125,000 men.

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Quality of French Beer

A soldier was telling his friends of his experiences out in France, and among other things they discussed was the difference between the beers of the respective countries.

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Berlin.—Allied representatives have told the German delegates at Versailles, it is reported here in government circles, that Germany must be prepared to introduce measures for compulsory work, if necessary. This, it was said, was intended as a means of bringing about prompt execution of the reparation work in northern France, utilizing troops and a half million civilian laborers.

Officers here said the allied conferences on this subject were conducted in a friendly spirit. These officials agreed that Germany has a problem in her labor troubles.

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Decree Issued On Rule In Tripoli Giving to the Natives Equal Rights With Italians

Washington, District of Columbia.—The Italian government has promulgated a decree giving to the natives of Tripoli equal rights with Italians, while maintaining their special rights and religious and social customs.

The decree also gives reasonable administrative autonomy, notably by means of a small local parliament, deliberative and elected, side by side with the governor and composed of citizens of all religions. This parliament has full powers with regard to local laws, direct taxation and administrative provisions.

A government council, presided over by the governor and made up of government officials, and members elected by the local parliament, expresses its opinion as to the choice of officials, which the governor appoints direct to the post of regional commissioner, delegate for a locality and district agent. Deliberative and elective councils help these officials in the administration of regions, localities and districts. The municipal authorities also comprise representatives of the population.

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Providing Recreation Facilities
Realising the necessity of providing citizens and especially children, with proper recreation facilities, the city of Winnipeg, Manitoba, plans to spend this year \$209,469 on these operations. Approximately \$119,511 will be spent for park purposes and probably \$1,500 will be set aside for band concerts in the parks.

In addition \$62,962 will be spent on baths, or \$17,000 more than last year. An appropriation of \$26,996 is planned for the playgrounds.

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Betting Still Under Prohibition

Ottawa.—No modification has yet been made of the order-in-council prohibiting race track betting, but representations have from time to time been made urging modification. Unless rescinded, the order-in-council will remain in force till peace is formally proclaimed. This will follow ratification of the peace treaty.

Don't get too swift; you can walk farther in a day than you can run.

General Allenby Honored

London.—General H. E. Allenby, commander of the British forces in Palestine that took Jerusalem in 1917, is one of a large number of British officers awarded the United States Distinguished Service Medal, according to a list published in the official gazette.

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Increase Appropriation for Wounded

Washington.—Amended to provide \$14,000,000 instead of \$6,000,000 for the rehabilitation of wounded soldiers, sailors and marines, the sundry civil appropriation bill, which was vetoed by the President, was passed by the house and sent to the senate.

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Coal Prices Sure to Advance!

Minister of Trade and Commerce Issues a Note of Warning to Coal Consumers in the Dominion

Ottawa, July 21.—Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, has issued the following statement on the coal situation:

"With the signing of the peace treaty the United States fuel administration has automatically ceased to exist, and the production and distribution of coal in that country is now governed solely by the law of supply and demand. War time legislation, restrictions and embargoes have been cancelled. As has been previously intimated, the Canadian fuel control was disbanded on March 31st last. The coal supply of the nation therefore now depends on the individual efforts of the coal trade, and the co-operation it receives from the consumers in placing their orders for coal at once. The information at hand indicates that coal is not coming into this country in the same quantities as last year, or even as it did in normal pre-war times. This is especially true in the maritime provinces. With the strong demand for coal and the lessened production, there is little room to hope that the price of coal will fall for many months. In fact the indications are that the price will continue to advance as the fall and winter approaches. It is not safe to assume that next winter will be a mild one. Nor is it possible to forecast what the labor situation at the mines will be, or what success the railroads (just emerging from the strain of the war period) will have in contending against possible adverse climatic conditions this coming winter. The government therefore urges all consumers to protect their fuel requirements by placing their orders at once. If it is impossible to secure full requirements of anthracite at this time, it is suggested that bituminous coal or other substitutes be acquired for use in the late fall and spring."

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AROUND THE TOWN

FOUND.—On the sports ground Friday, Aug. 1st, a bunch of sweethearts. Some of these will not be given up.

Miss Nicholson, of Bentley, Alta., is visiting in town this week.

Stevens Bros. garage is installing a new visible gasoline pump.

Look out for posters of Rubo Shackleford's sale on Wednesday, August 20.

There will be no institute meeting at Mrs. Stevens' this month. The next will be in September.

Mr. L. Cady, butcher, has sold his business to Mr. Alexander, of Red Deer.

Miss Rupp, the genial assistant at Chamber's drug store, has gone for her well-earned vacation.

We still have faith in the lands of Alberta. The Walrod farm has just changed hands at \$55 an acre.

The home of Mr. Woods is this week having the pleasure of entertaining Mrs. McKee and little daughter, from Manitoba.

We are very pleased to report that our worthy mayor's little son, who has been sick with a bad attack of tonsillitis, is on the recovery list.

We have just received a card from our old friend W. Norgaard, Watts, Alta. He reports that crops there are very good.

One of our local competitors in the fat men's race says he lost out in the start. When we ran in races we usually lost out in the finish.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker R. Reed both returned to Didsbury for the veteran's day. They have gone back again to Gull Lake for the remainder of their holidays.

H. W. Woods, president of Carstairs U.F.A. will address the meeting of the Rugby U.F.A. Local to be held on Tuesday, August 12th, at 8 p.m.

We were asked what the lightning flashes revealed in the wee sma' hours of the morn'. Of course we wouldnt tell, but the Pioneer staff all started to whistle "To be there."

A. B. Dyck says he has travelled north as far as his car would take him. Away seventeen days and travelled fourteen. He has seen nothing to beat his own farm and intends to hold on.

Dr. W. Duncan, dentist, left yesterday on a month's vacation and will visit Chicago, Washington, and other points. He expects to return about the first week in September.

Norman Frost, who saw service in France with the 50th Battalion is now on the Pioneer staff. His first introduction to Didsbury was veteran's day when he says nothing but his name would keep him cool. But, ladies, beware, he does not always blush because he's bashful.

Overheard at evening time of Vets' day: "You have never loved any other girl like this before have you, dear?" "No, darling." And we thought of those days when we ourselves could not be called "George Washington."

Mr. Jack Robinson, from West of Red Deer, was in town visiting on Tuesday. He was returning home from Calgary and reports that the creek which was so long dry in Crossfield district is now over three feet of water.

The Didsbury branch of the W.C.T.U. wish to take this opportunity to express their appreciation of the support of the public given towards comforts for convalescent veterans. The sum collected by tagging on Veteran's day was \$62.85.

Amongst the many visitors here on Veteran's day there were several looking for land. Two of them sat at dinner together and one passed this remark to the other. "This layout and that procession of cars looks like prosperity. I don't think we need go further to look for land until we have thoroughly searched this neighbourhood."

Mr. A. J. Tarn who has been assistant agent at the depot here since July 1st, has left the district. He intends taking a holiday previous to accepting a new appointment. He made many friends during his brief stay here and we all wish him luck.

Some person or persons took a car out of Shannon Bros.' garage last Saturday night for a joy ride, the telephone posts being in the way they as quickly returned it. If they are in need of lessons in driving Shannon Bros. are prepared to receive them as pupils at the usual rates.

Will those parties knowing themselves indebted to the Stevens' service shop, kindly call and settle as supplies are cash and hard luck is on the trail of the manager and the man overseas at a dollar ten a day is not having a fair show. Don't be slackers—come through—help the soldier hold his business—show your appreciation of accommodation.

Mr. Thos. Twelvetyree who has been in charge of the farmers' elevator here since last September has gone to take charge of the elevator at Hurdisty. Tommy was a very likeable chap and will be missed by the many friends he has made in Didsbury. If we could not always agree with Tommy in an argument there was one thing about him very convincing, that was his personal sincerity.

At the dinner table sat father, mother and little son. One of the pretty waitresses was begging the little boy to try another piece of pie when the parents interposed with the remark that they were quite sure he had had quite enough. Then the mother said "Now, say your grace, Georgie, dear." The little fellow bowed his head, put his hands together and this is what he said: "The Lord be praised, My stomach's raised, One inch above the table, An' I'm stuffed, If I ain't stuffed, As long as I was able."

Mike and Paddy left dear old Ireland together to cross the Atlantic. On the way over Paddy was taken sick and died on the ship. When wrapping up the body for burial at sea they found they had no weights for sinking it, the captain gave orders that lumps of coal was to be put round the body sufficient for sinking purposes. Mike was then called to take a last look at his friend. Mike burst into tears and said "Ah, poor Paddy, I always said we'd go to the States, but I never thought they'd make ye carry yer own coal."

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